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RE: MB Docket No. 15-149

Tom Wheeler Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

The Penobscot Bay Regional Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to helping local business thrive with marketing, education and networking opportunities. We strive to provide a healthy business climate for the people of Maine's Camden/Rockland region, and are always looking for opportunities to improve our communities. I am writing today in support of the pending merger between Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Networks into the combined company, New Charter.

Our business leaders rely on cutting edge technology and quality, high speed broadband, and we are confident that New Charter would serve them well. The combined company will offer an array of different packages tailored to meet each person or business's individual needs. With speeds ranging from 60 Mbps all the way to 300 Mbps, and a 10 Gbps package for schools, libraries and larger businesses, this merger would provide a strong option to service our members with the tools they need to thrive.

New Charter has pledged to prioritize customer care and has made investments in cloud-based technology, full digitization, fiber-optic networks and expanded in-home and out-of-home WiFi access. They plan to invest in major infrastructural projects, as well, with the build out of one million residential line extensions. These line extensions would provide increased options for our local business parks and more rural communities.

We believe our members and the people of our region would greatly benefit from the ability to access to the products and services offered by New Charter. We urge you to swiftly approve this merger.

Sincerely

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